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<u>Ambassador Richard</u> Helms

Dear Mr. Helms:

This is simply to express my thanks for your willingness to share your time with me this morning.

Your recollections and observations served as a vital check on information obtained elsewhere, while your insistence that Chile was only one of a multitude of problems calling for your attention was a useful reminder that we historians must not let our preoccupation with a single issue skew our perception of the way matters presented themselves to decision makers at the time.

So please know of our keen appreciation for your continued cooperation and assistance.

Sincerely,

Staff Historian

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